

A P E T I T I O N

A Petition
to the
Kappa Kappa Psi
from
Alpha Rho Beta
University of Arkansas
Fayetteville, Arkansas

ALPHA RHO BETA
UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS

March 3, 1924.

Kappa Kappa Psi,
Honorary Musical Fraternity,
9 South Walker,
Oklahoma City, Okla.

Greetings:

We the undersigned members of the R.O.T.C. Band of the University of Arkansas have organized a local band club, the purpose of which is to promote a better feeling among the bandmen of our school, and to attain higher and better plains in the field of music for our Alma Mater. We realize that we will be better able to reach the goal we have set by affiliating ourselves with an organization of such high standards as Kappa Kappa Psi. We hereby formally petition you for a chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi to be installed at the University of Arkansas.

If this Petition is favorably accepted and the University of Arkansas is granted a chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi it will be the highest endeavor of our organization to uphold the standards of the fraternity and to carry on the great work that this organization is now accomplishing.

Signed:

Joel W. Blake
Dennison Leighton
Fred Nichols

Amory V. Baker
Claude H. Sandford
Wilton Renner

Carl Soleson

Thurl Bewarook

Bruce Bennett

P. L. Hathcock, Jr.
Raymond A. Austin
Thomas Douglass
Alfred Hathcock



The University of Arkansas owes its origin to a public land grant Act of the Federal Congress, which was accepted by the General Assembly of the State March 27, 1871, in an act which provided for the location, organization and maintenance of the institution. Fayetteville was selected as the seat and the University was opened January 22, 1872. It was been in continuous operation since that time.

The growth of the University has been steady from its beginning, and the institution is now developing rapidly in attendance, in standards of scholarship, and in breadth of influence. Every section of the State is now represented by students on the campus, and the University is also attracting a growing number of young people from other states. Young women have been admitted to its courses from the first day of its existence.

The institution, as originally organized, was not divided according to the presentt designations. Thus, although courses in engineering were offered almost from the beginning of the University and degrees were conferred, it was not until 1893 that the College of Engineering was organized as such. Similarly, the College of Agriculture was not established under its present name until 1905, nor was the College of Education until 1916, despite the fact that instruction in these fields had been given from the very first years of the institution. The Experiment Station was established in 1887, under an Act of Congress known as the Hatch Act. The present General Extension division and Agricultural Extension division were announced in the 1918 catalogue of the University for the first time, but the extension work has been offered since 1910.

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DIVISIONS

The University of Arkansas is composed of the following divisions:

the College of Arts and Science
the College of Education
the College of Engineering
the College of Agriculture
the Agriculture Experiment Station
the General Extension Division at Fayetteville
the School of Medicine at Little Rock
the Agriculture, mechanical and Normal School at
Pine Bluff

B.

SOURCES OF SUPPORT

The income of the departments of the University at Fayetteville for the fiscal year 1921-22 was as follows:

Federal Government---

Morrill and Nelson Funds	\$ 36,363.00
Smith-Hughes Funds	3,656.00
State Appropriation	425,504.00
Student Fees	37,542.00
Interest on Endowment	6,903.00
General Education Board	3,500.00
Miscellaneous	5,660.00
Total	519,128.00

The Agricultural Experiment Station receives from the Federal Government(Hatch and Adams Funds) 30,000.00
And from the sale of farm products about 11,000.00 yearly.

C. WEALTH, EQUIPMENT, AND BUILDINGS.

The equipment, buildings and grounds at Fayetteville are estimated to be worth about \$1,000,000.00.

A brief description of buildings and equipment.

University Hall

This structure was erected in 1872. It is five stories in height and forms three sides of a quadrangle. Its seventy rooms serve as offices of administration, and the class rooms, besides some laboratories, of the College of Arts and Sciences.

Library-- The main library of the University is found in this buildings, as are the libraries of the departments of Geology, Botany, Zoology, and Mathematics. Other departmental libraries are housed in the Chemistry, Engineering, and Physics buildings.

The University libraries altogether contain about 45,000 books as follows:

Genral_____	278
Scientific_____	6,526
Literature and Languages_____	6,565
History and Social Sciences____	7,164
Philosophy and Religion_____	1,092
Government and State Documents	20,000
Bound Periodicals_____	3,361

The Biological and Geological Laboratories, the laboratories for Botany, Zoology and Geology are supplied with fully adequate equipment for the courses offered.

The Museum. The Museum contains various collections (minerals, petrographic, paleontological, zoological, relief maps) madw with the view to facilitating instruction in biology and geology.

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Art Studio--The studio is equipped for work in designing, in drawing and painting.

The practice rooms for the Department of Music are located in University Hall.

Women's Gymnasium--The gymnasium for women is equipped with modern apparatus, and provided with lockers, dressing rooms, and shower baths.

Armory--The armory, with the usual military equipment, including band instruments, occupies a large room in the basement.

Chemistry Building

This building contains laboratories for quantitative and qualitative analysis, for organic and physical chemistry, for assaying, besides balance-room, a library, a large lecture room and a general laboratory for beginning students.

Agriculture Building

This building contains the main administration offices of the College of Agriculture, the offices of the Dean and Director and of the Department of Agronomy and Soils. Here is located the cotton laboratory where instruction in cotton grading is given and where the laboratory work in cotton is conducted, the class rooms and laboratories for field crops and soils, and the laboratory of the biochemical study of nutrition conducted by the Department of Agricultural Chemistry.

Dairy Building

The dairy building is a stone building containing the offices of the Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying, the college creamery, which manufactures 5, 000 pounds of butter each week and serves as means of instruction in creamery work, and a dairy laboratory.

Agricultural Laboratories

The Departments of Agricultural Chemistry, Bacteriology, and Veterinary Science are housed in a one-story brick building, formerly known as the Experiment Station Building. The laboratories are well equipped for instruction of students and for station work along these particular lines of investigation.

Live Stock

At the barns west of the campus and at the Experiment Station Farm the College of Agriculture and Experiment Station has a large amount of live stock for instructional and experimental purposes. This consists of about one hundred head of cattle, including Jerseys, Holsteins, Ayrshires, of the dairy Breeds; Shorthorns, Herefords and Angus, of the beef breeds. Many of these are prize winners and among them are some of the best cattle in the State of Arkansas. Three breeds of hogs are also kept for work in the institution, consisting of Poland Chinas, Durocs, and Tamworths, and numbering from seventy-five to one hundred head according to the season. Poultry to the number of eight hundred to one thousand birds are carried in the breeding and other experimental work of the College.

Farms Lands and Orchards

The College of Agriculture and Experiment Station has approximately five hundred twenty-five acres of land in the new Experimental Farm and the lands adjacent to the University Campus. These are used in general farming and in the active work of the State Experiment Station. Agronomy has about one hundred twenty acres in experimental work in soils and crops. The department of Horticulture farms about sixty-five acres, consisting of a new fine apple orchard, a mature apple orchard covering forty acres in all, also a vineyard and room for vegetable work. The department of Animal Husbandry has

the barns, pasture, and crops for the live stock. These facilities are used in work of instruction as well as experimentation. In addition to these the students are often taken to nearby farms, orchards and centers of production.

Peabody Hall

Peabody Hall is used by the College of Education. It is a modern, fireproof building, containing about thirty rooms for class work various offices, a large assembly room, a manual training shop, home economics, laboratories, and a room in which the college classes in Education and Psychology meet.

University High School--The University High School and the primary grades for practice teaching are also conducted in this building.

Home Economics Laboratories for cookery, sewing, millinery, and table service, and the reception room. The equipment in each laboratory is new and modern.

Engineering Hall

Erected in 1904, this building contains the offices, recitation rooms, drawing rooms, and testing laboratories of the civil, electrical, and mechanical engineering departments.

The Civil Engineering Testing Laboratory. The road material testing equipment is complete for making all the standard tests as recommended by the U.S. Office of Public Roads. The cement and concrete testing equipment is sufficient for making all the standard tests in cement and on small specimens of concrete. The structural materials department is equipped for making tension, compression, and impact tests. The hydraulic equipment is sufficient to give a thorough knowledge of practical elementary hydraulics.

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The Civil Engineering Instrumental Laboratory is provided with all necessary equipment for work in land, railroad, and city surveying practical astronomy, and office work. The equipment of field instruments has been so far as to afford the students the opportunity of becoming familiar with the instruments of the different makes.

The Electrical Engineering Laboratory offers excellent facilities for experimental work. The main laboratory is supplied with a variety of types and sizes of direct and alternating current generators, motors, control equipment and instruments; storage batteries, converters, and rectifiers, synchronous converters, transformers, condensers, inductances, etc. Adequate switchboards and wiring are provided for convenience in testing. A well equipped instrument and repair shop is maintained in connection with the laboratory.

The Standardizing Laboratory is equipped with standards and precision instruments and is wired and is wired and arranged for facility in standardizing work.

The Photometric Laboratory has a standard photometer bar and accessories, several types of portable photometers, and lighting units and equipment.

The Telephone Laboratory has magneto and central energy switchboards complete, test lines, and numerous telephone and wireless instruments.

The Experimental Engineering Laboratory is equipped with steam and gasoline engines, condensers, boiler feed pumps, and other power plant equipment. The laboratory is provided with apparatus for test-fuel, oil testing, flue gas analysis, and for testing materials of construction.

Mechanical Hall

Mechanical Hall contains the machine shop, wood shop, and forge, shop. The shops will accommodate about seventy-five students at one time. Adjoining on the east is the boiler room.

Physics Building

The Physics Building, built in 1917, is a two story frame building containing ten rooms well arranged for lecture and laboratory work in physics. On the first floor are two laboratory rooms, a lecture room, a store room and an office. The second floor includes a lecture room, a laboratory, a photometric room, a work-shop and a library. Concrete piers are provided for all delicate work in the laboratories and for the delicate balances. The equipment of apparatus is fairly complete and of sufficient variety and duplication to permit the instruction of large sections in the laboratories.

University Club

This building stands between the Agriculture Building and the Chemistry Building. It contains, besides the assembly rooms of the faculty organizations, a modern cafeteria for faculty, students, and others, located on the ground floor.

Y.M.C.A. Hut

A hut of the standard "D" type contains the office of the Y.M.C.A. secretary, and also an auditorium which is used for religious meetings, for motion pictures, and for various social affairs.

Infirmary

The Infirmary is in charge of a trained nurse. The building is furnished with open and private wards for men and women, and a well isolated ward for contagious cases.

Athletic Field

Grounds for athletic sports contain the football gridiron, the base-

ball diamond, the quarter-mile track, and the facilities for basket ball, volley ball and other games. Tennis courts are located at various places on the campus.

Gymnasium

A new gymnasium built in 1923 contains basket ball and volley ball courts. The 1924 State Basket Ball Tournament was held in this building.

Dormitories

There are three brick dormitories for boys and one brick dormitory for girls. All are three stories in height.

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THE BAND

A. PERSONNEL:

D. L. McDonald
R. B. McKnight
Aubrey Baber
Claude Sandford
Frank Lane
V. H. Sanders
M. P. Muse
Carl Toalson
Neumon Leighton
Bruce Bennett
Greer Nichols
Ward Adams
R. A. Austin
O. T. Benbrook
Thomas Douglass
Pickens Fuller
P. O. Forgey
Robert Green
J. J. Gage
Alfred Hathcock
Loyce Hathcock
Vance Hopper
Welton Renner
Gerard Shippard
G. W. Pinkerton
J. D. Porter
J. G. Sheffield
John Parker
A. Williams
Jl. W. Blake
C. Womack
Frank McCoy
Hurley Brown
Robert Miller
J. K. Donaldson
W. B. Hatfield
J. W. Loden
Frank Greenhaw
T. C. Owen
J. Roland
M. C. Cochran
Alton Hart

B. SOURCES OF SUPPORT:

The Band of the University of Arkansas receives support from the Military Art Department and from appropriations by the University.

C. KIND OF MUSIC BEING USED IN CONCERT WORK.

Using the six grade basis the University of Arkansas Band is playing third and fourth grade music.

D. DEGREE OF ADVANCEMENT OF PETITIONING MEMBERS.

(Advancement shown by position in band)

J. W. Blake	Piccolo	First class musician	Senior
O. T. Benbrook	2Alto	Second class musician	Sophomore
Aubrey Baber	EFlat Clarinet	First class musician	Senior
R. A. Austin	2Bass	Second class musician	Sophomore
Bruce Bennett	IBass	First class musician	Freshman
Thomas Douglass	Baritone Saxophone	Second class musician	Freshman
Alfred Hathcock	Alto Saxophone	Second class musician	Sophomore
Loyce Hathcock	ITrombone	Second class musician	Sophomore
Neumon Leighton	IHorn	First class musician	Sophomore
Greer Nichols	Solo Cornet	First class musician	Senior
Welton Renner	Soprano Saxophone	First class musician	Sophomore
Claude Sandford	C Saxophone	First class musician	Sophomore
Carl Toalson	ICornet	First class musician	Senior

E. (Copy of programs on separate sheet)

F. WORK THE BAND IS DOING FOR THE INSTITUTION.

The University of Arkansas Band makes three trips with the foot ball team each year; one to Little Rock, Ark., one to Muskogee, Okla., and one to Ft. Smith, Ark.

The Band participates in all the formalities of the Military Art Department. The Band also furnishes music for pageants and commencement exercises.

An annual concert tour is being planned for the Band of the University of Arkansas.

PROGRAMS
(copy)

I

March-Gloria	Tosey
Trombone Blues	Jewell
March-Washington Post	Sousa
Overture-The King's Guard	Arnold
March-De Molay Commandry	Hall
Miss Trombone	Fillmore
March-Stars and Stripes Forever	Sousa

II

March-Chicago Tribune	Chambers
Bonus Blues	Frankiser
March-Phi Kappa Emblem	Skaggs
Overture-American Federation	Skaggs
March-Pomposo	Sietz
Lasses Trombone	Fillmore
March-National Emblem	Bagley

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B. RESPECTIVE SCHOOLS, CLASSIFICATION AND PERSONAL
ACHIVEMENTS.

P.L. Hathcock.---Arts and Science---Class '26---De Molay---Band '21-
22-23---Delta Phi(pre-medic)---Student Orchestra '22-23---Y.M.C.A.

J.Welton Renner.---Arts and Science---Class '27---Pi Kappa Alpha---
Y.M.C.A.---Band '23---De Molay.

Thomas Douglass.---Arts and Science---Class '27---Kappa Alpha---
Band '23---Y.M.C.A.

Aubrey V. Baber.---Engineering---Class '24---Kappa Sigma---A.A.E.---
Delta Psi---Vigilance Committee '23---De Molay---Band '21-22-23---
Student Orchestra '22-23---Y.M.C.A.---Delta Epsilon.

Alfred H. Hathcock.---Arts and Science---Class '26---De Molay---
Delta Phi---Student Orchestra '22-23---Band '22-23---Y.M.C.A.

Carl Toalson.---Arts and Science---Class '24---Glee Club '23-24---
Band '22-23---Razorback Staff '22-23.

Neumon Leighton.---Arts and Science---Class '26---Band '22-23---
Student Orchestra '22-23---Y.M.C.A. Cabinet.

J.W. Blake.---Engineering---Class '24---Band '22-23---A.A.E.---
Student Orchestra '22-23---A.I.E.E.---A.S.M.E.---De Molay---Y.M.C.A.

C.L. Sandford.---Engineering---Class '26---Band '22-23--- Student
Orchestra '22-23.

Bruce Bennett.---Engineering---Class '27---Band '23---Student Or-
chestra '23.

R.A. Austin.---Engineering---Class '26---Band '22-23---A.I.E.E.---
Math. Club.

T.Benbrook.---Arts and Science---Class '26--- Band '22-23---De
Molay---Student Orchestra '22-23.

Greer Nichols.---Arts and Science---Sigma Nu---Arkansas Booster's
Club---Tri Eta---Glee Club '22-23---Student Orchestra '22-23---
Y.M.C.A.---University of Arkansas Concert Company.

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS,
FAYETTEVILLE.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

March 5, 1924.

To Whom It May Concern:

I understand that a number of members of the University of Arkansas Band have organized themselves into a club known as Alpha Rho Beta, and that they desire to obtain a charter for a chapter of the national organization of Kappa Kappa Psi.

The members of the organization known as Alpha Rho Beta are excellent students and good musicians. I deem them to be entirely worthy of membership in the organization from which they are soliciting a charter, and I trust that their application will be favorably considered.

Very truly yours,

John C. Futral
President

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
FAYETTEVILLE

OFFICE OF THE DEAN

March 4, 1924.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the young men named below are students in the College of Arts and Sciences, University of Arkansas:

Neumon Leighton
Alfred Hathcock
Carl Toalson
Greer Nichols
Thurl Benbrook
Welton Renner
Thomas Douglass
Loyce Hathcock.

I am no judge whatever of musical ability, hence I cannot state definitely as to their proficiency in that line. So far as I know these young men are all honest and law-abiding students.



Geo. W. Droke, Dean.

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
FAYETTEVILLE

OFFICE OF THE DEAN

March 6, 1924.

To Whom It May Concern:

It gives me pleasure to state that
the following named young men are Engineering students
in good standing:

Aubrey V. Baber
J. W. Blake
R. A. Austin
C. L. Sandford
B. W. Bennett

I take pleasure in recommending them
as representative men in the Engineering College.

Respectfully,

W. N. Gladson

W. N. Gladson,

Dean.

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS
FAYETTEVILLE

OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF MEN

March 5, 1924.

To Whom It May Concern:

A group of young men of our University Band known as Alpha Rho Beta desire to organize a local chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi at the University of Arkansas. I am well acquainted with practically all the young men of this organization and I know them to be fine students and young men of excellent character. They stand well in their studies and I am confident that they will uphold the high standards of the national organization in their local chapter if they are granted the charter for which they are applying.

Very respectfully,


Dean of Men.

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS

HENRY DOUGHTY TOVEY, *Director*
Piano, Organ, History, Appreciation
OWEN C. MITCHELL,
Piano Theory

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC
FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS

DAVID, C. HANSARD,
Violin, Cello
CLIFFORD ROYER,
Voice, Public School Music
GREER NICHOLS, *Secretary*

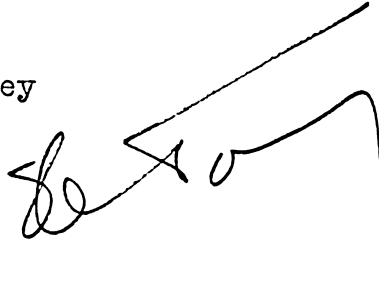
March 4, 1924.

To Whom It May Concern:

It gives me pleasure to recommend the following young men who are in the University of Arkansas Band. I think there could be no mistake in granting these young men the charter they wish.

Cordially,

H. Tovey

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'H. Tovey', written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

J. W. Blake
Aubrey Baber
Neumon Leighton
R. A. Austin
Alfred Hathcock
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CLIFFORD ROYER,
Voice, Public School Music
GREER NICHOLS, Secretary

March 6, 1924.

To Whom It May Concern:

I heartily recommend the following members of the University of Arkansas Band as earnest workers and competent musicians.

Sincerely,

Owen C. Mitchell
Band Director.

Greer Nichols
Aubrey Baber
Neumon Leighton
Claude Sandford
Carl Toalson
J. W. Blake
Loyce Hathcock
Alfred Hathcock
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Renner
Nichols



Austin
Benbrook



Sanford
L. Nathecock



Douglass
Bennett



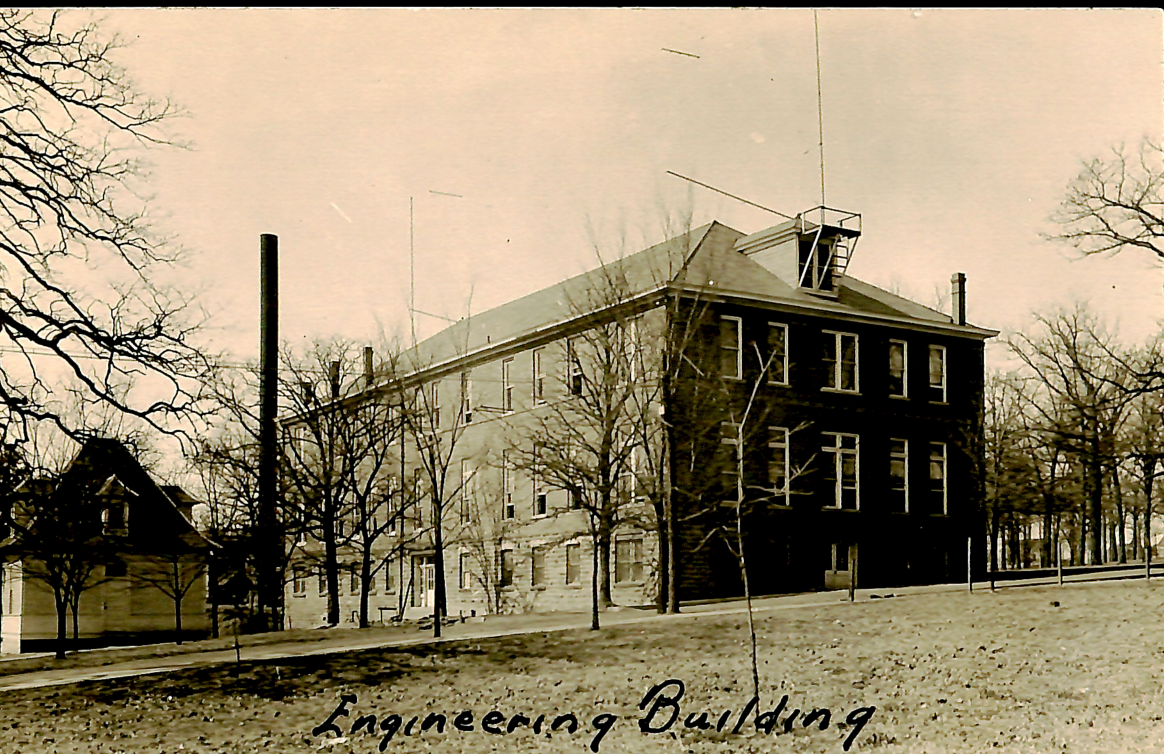
Blake
H. Hathcock



Baber
Leighton



Toalson





Boy's Dormitories, A.U. Sawyer



Peabody Hall



Main Building A. U.

Sowder

